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Choose any gift—the costliest gold and silver, diamonds, pearls, oriental rugs—pay any price you wish—I'll bank a cluster of my fresh, sweet-smelling, cheerful, friendly flowers as the most acceptable gift of all.

There are really, after all, only two kinds of Christmas gifts; flowers and the other kind. The most cheer for the least money—that's the message the flower brings to you—Christmas shopper. A brilliant, flashing Poinsetta, or these wonderful, exquisite orchids—they all carry the message, your message, to your friend just as you would have it go—without any misinterpretation.

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MRS. MARY C. AYRES, Local Agent

#### WARNINGS FOR THE HOME

Every year there are many children burned to death and many homes destroyed by fire from the Christmas candles.

Do not decorate your Christmas tree with paper, cotton, or any inflammable material. Use metallic tinsel, or other non-inflammable decorations only, and fasten the Christmas tree securely, so that children in reaching for things on the tree cannot tip it over.

Do not use cotton to represent snow. If you must have snow, use asbestos fibre.

Do not permit children to light or re-light the candles while the parents or older persons are not present. They frequently set fire to their clothing.

Do not leave matches lying around within easy reach of the children. Candles are meant to be lighted, and if the children can get matches they will experiment with them. Children imitate their elders. Use only safety matches.

Do not allow Christmas trees to remain in the building after the holidays. The tree ignites readily when the needles have become dry. A large number of fires occur from Christmas trees being lighted in the home after the holidays. "Think this over."

How are you going to arrange and fix your Christmas tree in your home? What are you going to do about the wax candle and the match? What about the boxes, excelsior straw, paper, etc? Unknown to you, the loss of a child, or the loss of your home may hinge and depend upon your actions and answer. Remember that the use of all fireworks

The big papers copyright some queer stuff. The New York American lately copyrighted this story, which is as old as grumbling: A little girl was saying her prayers and when she said, "Give us this day our daily bread," her brother said: "Sis, strike him for cake."

Fine cigars, 25 in a box. Order yours now. Lloyd's Cafe.

Unhappy the man, forlorn the woman, poor fighters both, if memory cannot now and then swing back even from the sunset and find a subtle, sweet pleasure in the things of the night.

Virtue is an altar before which there will always be incense to burn—but given the right oracle, and even a goddess can get away.

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## 133-A. Shelby County Farm

...AT...

# PUBLIC AUCTION

Thursday, Dec. 18, 10 a. m.

### A Rich Farm of The Right Size

Mr. George N. Rucker having purchased a farm in Alabama and intending to remove to that state, has placed in our hands his splendid place, known as the William Tucker Farm, containing 133 acres and improvements and situated 2 1-2 miles southwest of Finchville, Ky., on the Finchville and Clark's Station pike, to sell at auction without reserve or by-bid, together with all of his

### Live Stock, Crop and Implements HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE

This farm will be sold in one tract. Improvements are good and include a splendid brick residence of 7 rooms, halls, pantries, etc., and all necessary out-buildings. Two good barns, one of which is a large tobacco barn. Under good fencing and better watered than any farm in the community. This farm is practically all in grass and ready right now for tobacco or any crop you desire to grow.

Finchville is the garden spot of Shelby county. It is unusual that a farm is offered for sale in this community, for the owners are making big money and are satisfied that they can not improve their holdings. High school, churches, bank and several stores in Finchville furnish every desired convenience.

### Dairy Herd, Hogs, Horses, Mules, Implements, &c.

TERMS OF REAL ESTATE AND PERSONALTY—Liberal and made known on day of sale.

TIME OF SALE—The sale will begin at 10 o'clock A. M., with the personal property. The farm will be sold immediately after lunch, at about 1 o'clock. Sale will be held on the premises, rain or shine and everything goes for the high dollar.

INSPECTION OF LAND INVITED—See Richard Radcliff, our Shelby county manager, at his office in the Courthouse at Shelbyville, or call on the owner of the farm at any time before day of sale and they will show you over the place.

LUNCH SERVED AT NOON.

## PEARCE-O'BANNON REALTY CO.

COL. J. T. COWHERD & SON, Auctioneers 1113 Starks Building, Louisville, Ky.

# AT AUCTION

## Farm, Livestock, Implements

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19th

AT 10 A. M.

Owing to city interests that are requiring their time and attention, E. S. and C. G. Tachau have instructed us to sell their farm of 122 1-2 acres, located 1 1-4 miles south of LaGrange, Ky., in Oldham county, on a good pike. There are 35 acres of good tobacco land on which the Blue Grass sod has not been broken for 20 years; 10 acres of alfalfa, 25 acres of red clover and the remainder is in grass, with the exception of 20 or 25 acres which is in cultivation. Pulverized limestone together with manure from the dairy barn has been spread over this farm for several years, also manure from the livery stable, with which a contract was made for 1 year. In other words, whoever buys this place will find it in such condition that he will be able to realize a good income immediately.

The improvements consist of a six-room house, a magnificent combined stock and dairy barn; milk house and all necessary outbuildings. The entire farm is hog-proof fenced on steel and locust posts. It is watered by a deep well at the house, also a creek fed by never-failing springs, which affords an abundance of water at all times.

ADVANTAGE OF THIS LOCATION—This farm overlooks one of the best little business towns of about 2,500 inhabitants in the State of Kentucky. LaGrange has two strong banks, several excellent dry goods and hardware stores, high school and churches of almost every denomination. It is a good shipping center, being on the main line of the L. & N. Railroad, between Louisville and Cincinnati. There is also hourly service with Louisville over the electric line. The farmers of Oldham county are all prosperous and the advance in the price of land compares favorably with the best in the State.

A CLAUSE IN OUR CONTRACT READS AS FOLLOWS: "The parties of the first part agree and bind themselves to accept the highest and best bid made on day of sale and to deed said real estate by deed of General Warranty free of all liens and encumbrances, to said bidder or bidders."

This farm will be sold without reserve or by-bid.

LIVESTOCK—18 registered high grade Holstein cows and heifers; 1 very fine registered Holstein bull, 3 years old; 40 head of good breeding ewes that will lamb about March 1st; 1 pair of 5 and 6-year-old work mules; 1 work and driving mare, 7 years old; 20 head of thoroughbred Duroc hogs, including 3 choice brood sows and several gilts; a choice lot of Plymouth Rock chickens.

TERMS—Liberal and made known day of sale.

DINNER WILL BE FURNISHED

E. S. & C. G. TACHAU, Owners

**Pearce-O'Bannon Realty Co., Agents**

COL. SAM T. TAYLOR, Auctioneer

1113 Starks Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

such as Roman candles, firecrackers, toy balloons and other pyrotechnic display is prohibited.

Fire prevention leaves no aftermath of regret. Remember the old and true saying, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

On account of the recent fuel order, many merchants and others have resorted to the use of candles, coal oil lamps, gasoline lamps and other open flame lights. Extreme care should be taken when using this kind of light, as they greatly increase the fire hazard and may result in injury to persons, loss of life and destruction of property.

Fires in winter impose unusually severe hardships upon the firemen, frozen ears, feet and hands are his lot, and are common when fighting fires in the winter. Pneumonia and sickness follow exposure to the firemen, and those driven by fire out into the snow, ice and wintry weather. Remember the fireman is a soldier in a war that never ends. When he leaves his fire station he does not know whether he will ever return. Think this over, and practice "fire prevention."

Don't forget the family garage. Never allow open flame lights in a garage. Run the automobile outside when filling the tank, so that gasoline vapors will dissipate. Never heat a garage with an open flame. A metal waste can should be located outside of the garage, for oily waste and rags. Keep an approved fire extinguisher and a pail of sand in the garage. Water thrown on gasoline merely serves to spread it. Remember gasoline vapors stay close to the ground, and will explode when they come in contact with a flame. Fires are easier to prevent than to extinguish.

Have the telephone number of the fire department on a special card at your telephone. Instruct the family how to operate the fire alarm box and locate the one nearest your home. After sending in a fire alarm from a fire alarm box stay near the

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box to direct the firemen to the location of the fire. Every minute is important. Don't fail to notify the chief of the fire department of anything you may see that is dangerous or liable to cause fire.

If the suggestions in this bulletin are understood and heeded many a life may be saved, and many a home guarded against destruction by fire. This December 10, 1919.

T. B. PANNELL,  
State Fire Marshall.

The Sunday School class of Mrs. V. W. Eubank, Sr., met at the home of Mrs. Howard Turner Friday evening to prepare Christmas boxes to send to fourteen old ladies of the Widows and Orphans' Home at Louisville, Ky.

The Advocate for printing.

A young woman recently attempted suicide in New York, and left a note which read: "A girl cannot live in New York and be honest." What a cowardly, silly lie! And a million lies equally silly are told by evil-doers every hour.

It is alright for a bachelor novelist to write that the heroine was "speechless with rage." But any married man knows that the madder they get the more they talk.

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